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EASTERN NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.

Wilkinson to be Arraigned Saturday.

[illegible] City, Mo. April 20.—Chas. S. Wilki[illegible], ex-collector of internal revenue at St. [illegible], who was recently arrested at San Francisco, on his return from Australia and against whom there are three indictments for violation of the revenue laws, and for complicity in whisky frauds, arrived to day in charge of Col. H. Flanagan, [illegible] United States secret service for the California [illegible]. He will be arraigned Saturday.

Child Murdered by His Father.

[illegible] Falls, Mo. April 20.—Two Swedes, [illegible] and Eric Lynde, while mad with drink, [illegible] Burgeson, wife of the former, from [illegible] and murdered her two year old son, horribly [illegible] the body and fracturing the skull. [illegible] Both have been arrested.

Death of Mrs. David Dudley Field.

Mrs. David Dudley Field died at Baltimore yesterday.

Business Failure.

Providence, R. I. April 20.—It is announced that the [illegible] manufacturing company, a large [illegible] mills at Woonsocket had made [illegible]

[illegible] April 20.—The Ballou Manufacturing company and the firm of G. C. Ballou & Son of [illegible] have made an assignment to Charles [illegible] and Addison G. Fisher of this city, [illegible] Joseph Lassell, of Whitesville. The indebtedness [is] nearly one million. The assets comprise [illegible] mills of about 55,000 spindles and considerable real estate in Woonsocket, one third of Clinton mill and half of Proddy mill, at Newburyport. The liabilities probably exceed the assets by from $[illegible] to $200,000.

Wheat Prospects.

Chicago, April 20.—The Inter Ocean this morning publishes crop reports from 200 points in Indiana, [illegible], Ohio and Pennsylvania, where the bulk of winter wheat is grown, showing the present condition of the growing crops. In a few counties in [illegible] the wheat threatens to prove a failure, but by far the majority of reports are encouraging. Indiana and Pennsylvania report excellent prospects. [illegible] The season has proved unfavorable for winter wheat.

Cincinnati, April 19.—Of reports from 57 points [illegible] the indications for the wheat crop 24 report the prospects good, 11 fair, and 22 badly injured.

Telegraph Operator Dead.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 19.—R. C. Duncan, a well known telegrapher, formerly chief operator of the Indianapolis and New Orleans offices, died at [illegible], Michigan, this morning.

Dom Pedro.

[illegible], April 20—Dom Pedro, Emperor of Brazil, arrived from the East at 10 A. M. and left in a special car attached to the Pacific express at 2[illegible]

The Democratic Convention.

The Democratic State Convention held at Lincoln yesterday was the largest and most influential ever held in the State. Resolutions for hard money and [illegible] were adopted with great unanimity. Two-thirds of the convention favored the nomination of [illegible] Tilden for the Presidency, but no formal expression was given to this preference. Delegates were chosen to the National Convention.

Gold and Stocks.

New York, April 20.—Gold closed at 13, money, 3½ [illegible] active and steady. Stocks active [illegible] and lower, W. U., 66⅝, Quicksilver 1[illegible], Pacific Mail, 19⅞, Mariposa, 7, Wells Fargo [illegible], N. Y. Central, 111⅛, Erie 15, Panama 1[illegible], [illegible] stock, 64⅞, bonds, 105¾; Central Pacific bonds, 106.

Another Murderer Convicted.

[illegible], April 20.—This evening the jury in the case of Frederick Meyers, charged with the murder of August Dorn, returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. The murder was committed in Meyers' saloon, on Third avenue in February last.

Proclamation to the Coal Strikers.

Columbus, O., April 20.—Gov. Hayes has issued a proclamation for circulation in the Tuscarawas valley coal region, where a strike is now pending, declaring in the most emphatic terms that the reign of terror now existing in that region must come to an end and good order be restored; that the miners who are willing to work must not be interfered with, and declaring, further, that whenever the [illegible] him that they are no longer able to [illegible] miners in pursuit of their calling he will at once order a sufficient military force to the scene of trouble, with instructions to disperse the mob and protect all who are disposed to work in the mines or elsewhere.

New Grain, Provision and Live Stock Board at Chicago.

Chicago, April 20.—The grain, provision and [illegible] to day. The call included wheat, corn and pork. Local transactions were light. The [illegible] is entirely independent of the board of trade, though its members are composed mainly of board of trade men.

[illegible] Convention Adjourned.

Pittsburg, April 20.—The National Labor Convention met this morning. The committee on [illegible] reported numerous resolutions in which they urge upon Congress the necessity of repealing the Burlingame treaty, characterizing the [illegible] as little better than slavery. They demand of Congress a strong protective tariff to protect home industry against foreign competition; they further demand the strict [illegible] of the eight hour law. They acknowledge a debt of gratitude to Governor Tilden of New York, for abolishing prison contract labor. After passing resolutions complimentary to the officers the convention adjourned.

Blaine and Bristow.

The Republican primaries of Philadelphia on the evening of the 18th inst. elected delegates favorable to Blaine and Bristow.

Municipal Election at Newport, R. I.

The municipal election at Newport, R. I., resulted in the election of Bedlow, Republican, for mayor, beating the present incumbent 375.

Baxter Bank Burglary.

Fort Scott (Kansas), April 20.—A special from Baxter Springs, Kansas, says at about 10 o'clock [illegible] two men entered the Baxter bank, [illegible] pistol at the head of the cashier, went through the safe, and escaped into the Indian Territory with $3,000. The officers and a number of citizens are in close pursuit.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Bristow for President.

New York, April 20—The Times' Washington special says: "Bristow is evidently coming to the front as the Presidential candidate. According to [illegible] correspondent, paid detectives are on his track, watching his comings and goings. [illegible] who gained undesirable prominence in connection with the whisky trials and safe burglary business are industriously spying into the [illegible] corners of his history with the benevolent intention of proving him to have some affinity with [illegible]. Bristow has so far been fortunate enough not only to afford prompt and conclusive disproof of charges made against him but he has been able to supply the antidote to the slander [illegible] before Democrats who were careful in raising them, had time to give them to the world. Industrious accusers of the Secretary of the Treasury [illegible] substantial service to the Republican party. We wish that Blaine would imitate [illegible] and frankness in disposing of the charges which are so industriously circulated in regard to him. One of these charges has been but half answered, and shows a tendency to [illegible]. It is that for which Harrison, a government director of the Union Pacific Railroad is responsible, and about which the whole story has not as yet been told. Harrison is ready to go before the Congressional committee with his statement, and it is to be hoped that in some way this accusation will be got out and be fairly [met] by Blaine."

Revenue Frauds in California.

The Herald's Washington special says the report of special agent Phillips on the misconduct of the treasury and revenue officials in California and the monstrous frauds committed on the revenue in that State, attracts a good deal of remark here, especially because Phillips has very plainly hinted that some Senators and Representatives from California, and especially Sargent, have encouraged these frauds and stand behind the corrupt officials whom Phillips exposes. He charges [illegible] that Sargent made the charges of misconduct against Clarke, an honest and incorruptible officer, and endeavored to procure his removal, and [illegible] that Clarke ordered the seizure of a distillery owned by a political ally of Sargent. It has long been known here that the revenue affairs were in a very disorderly condition in California and it has often been noticed that, as Phillips states, the revenue officers there are creatures of United States Senators, which makes reform very difficult.

Post Traderships.

Clymer's committee heard to day the [illegible] of Camp Supply, who was [illegible] he had sent $1,000 cash to [illegible] [in ex]change of the post trading privilege, [illegible] denied having done so, but admitted [illegible] $1,500 instead of $[illegible]. [illegible] Hedrick admitted receiving [illegible] did the difference go.

Naval Appropriation Bill.

The naval appropriation bill is complete. [illegible] $14,100,000. The estimates by the Department were $21,000,000. Last year the appropriation [illegible]

Navy Yards to be Abandoned.

The committee think of temporarily closing the navy yard, abolishing that at New London[?] and [illegible] at Pensacola and selling the [illegible] yard, and probably establishing a naval station at Port Royal.

Newspaper Speculations.

The Times' Washington special hints that the [illegible] of business in the House is first to make the [illegible] pass the bills when they are received with [illegible]

An Amusing Scene in the House.

An amusing scene occurred in the House to day [illegible] After explanation the matter [illegible]

Postoffice Appropriation Bill.

The postoffice appropriation bill [illegible] will be reported to the House to morrow. [illegible] a reduction of $1,500,000.

The Indiana Nomination.

[illegible] was regarded here at first as a good joke. [illegible] man in the house. He is almost past respectable at his age and will make a good run.

Charges against Doorkeeper Fitzhugh.

The [illegible] Washington special says [illegible] doorkeeper Fitzhugh, of the House of Representatives, [illegible] the story that he served a term in the penitentiary. Certified copies of indictments [illegible] jury [illegible] Fitzhugh [illegible] but the cases were never tried.

A Board of Health Swindle.

The [illegible] Washington special reiterates that the board of health has been caught with $7,000 worth of stock in the Excavating company. The board [illegible] Republican swindle. Randall's appropriation bill will probably kill it henceforth.

Frauds in Sales of Captured Property.

The Tribune Washington special says there has been long a well-seated conviction that in the matter of the sale and accountability of captured and abandoned property in the South in consequence of the war and acts of Congress, enormous frauds have been committed, and the House committee on expenditures in the Treasury Department has endeavored to find out the facts. During the past few days inquiry has developed facts of the most astounding character, but members of the committee are pledged to secrecy and hold their sessions with closed doors and are very reticent. Enough is known, however, to warrant the statement that there is a deficit of several millions of dollars between the accounts of the sales of the property in the South abandoned and captured and the return of the money for such sales. In the matter of cotton the difference is very great. The accounts of [illegible] of New York who was [illegible] government are receiving particular attention and it is discovered that many of the books and papers kept by him which were supposed to be in the Treasury Department are missing. [illegible] of the attorneys who assisted the government in its suits against captured and abandoned property have been examined. When their testimony is made public it will contain remarkable disclosures. The use of large sums of money arising from the sales of property of this character by the late firm of Jay Cooke & Co. is also receiving the attention of the committee.

Injurious Report Concerning Bristow Denied.

Washington, April 20.—[illegible] Suit has published a card denouncing as utterly false, wanton and without the slightest foundation in fact, the story connecting his name with the alleged payment to Hon. B. H. Bristow, of $10,000, as an inducement to him to resign his position as U. S. district attorney for Kentucky and release his (Suit's) distillery.

The Annual Deficiency Bill.

Washington, April 20.—Excepting $25,000 for the subsistence at the Southern Apache Agency of New Mexico the annual deficiency bill as passed by both houses contains no provision whatever for the Indian service indebtedness of the Pacific coast States or Territories. The department requested an appropriation of nearly $300,000 to pay these liabilities, which are held by a large number of persons, including various San Francisco merchants, and dated back from one to three years.

The Chinese to be Asked to Modify the Burlingame Treaty.

Washington, April 19.—The President informed Congressman Page to day that he had directed the Secretary of State to instruct Minister Seward to officially call the attention of the Chinese government to the practical operations of the Burlingame treaty with a view to modifying it in accordance with the suggestion of the resolution recently adopted by the House. This order of the President is to be the foundation for negotiations to confine the treaty to commercial purposes. Secretary Fish is now in New York, and Page intends to invite his most earnest attention to this matter upon his return. The President manifested great interest in the subject and, referring to the recommendations of his annual message for legislation to prevent coolie importation said his convictions had since undergone no change, except to become strengthened.

The House judiciary committee have arranged to hear arguments on Luttrell's bill to prohibit [illegible] labor contracts next week after the arrival of the San Francisco. A special delegation of the Pacific coast Congressmen will also be given an opportunity to present their views on the general subject involved.

Opposition to the Texas Pacific Railroad.

Washington, June 20.—The amendment offered to the Southern Pacific bill in the House committee to day to extend the time for the construction of the Texas Pacific railway was opposed by Luttrell on the grounds, first, that no extension was intended by buying up the land grant to prevent other parties from building. Therefore he contended it should not be adopted unless amended so as to protect settlers, compel Scott to build eastward from San Diego according to the terms of the original charter and allow the Southern Pacific Co. to build eastward from Colorado river on the Texas Pacific land grant if they would do so within the prescribed time.

Scott's friends denied that his company had failed or will fail, to comply with the charter conditions respecting the San Diego part of the line, and say the extension of time was asked for the main line only for prudential reasons to put a stop to efforts to divert the land grants. The whole subject was postponed until next Friday.

Nominations Sent to the Senate.

The President sent the following nominations to the Senate: Michael Schaeffer, chief justice of the supreme court of Utah; W. V. Rinehardt, Indian agent at Malheur agency, Oregon.

Centennial Coins.

O'Brien introduced a bill to day to authorize the coinage of Centennial coins with the words "First Centennial of America's Independence," to be plainly inscribed on them, to be a legal tender to [illegible], the coinage to cease by December 31st.

Protection to Americans on the Rio Grande.

The Secretary of War directs that orders be given to the department commander to grant the protection asked for by the American citizens at Laredo, the revolutionists having levied a forced loan, the amount to be divided between ten merchants, half of them Americans. The Navy Department also requires the gunboat operating on the Rio Grande to cooperate.

Confirmation of Coghlan as Attorney for California.

The Senate to day confirmed Coghlan attorney for California.

Mildew and Moths.

Brega testified before Clymer's committee to day touching mildew and the moths in the tents and clothing of the war department. He had not used any influence or paid any money to have the [illegible] he was interested in adopted, except to [illegible] Platt, who claims $11,000 or $12,000 from his firm, which was not paid because he had already paid Platt in full. Platt had been employed to use his influence with the Secretary of War in 1871. The works were stopped through Platt's influence. Witness went to the Secretary, but got no satisfaction. Witness then went to Long Branch, saw Babcock and to the Secretary. Witness was told to wait [illegible] Belknap, who would soon arrive. He did [illegible] received a copy of the charges against his firm through Babcock. The money was paid [illegible] about $11,000. The firm [illegible] charges. Platt was never employed as [illegible] attorney. There was merely a verbal agreement to present [illegible] to the quartermaster's department [illegible] to the war department and Congressman Platt was paid in full [illegible] open. Witness thinks [illegible] then chairman of the committee on appropriations [illegible] the firm's proposition was [illegible] any wrong act on the part [illegible]

Schenck denies taking any Bribe.

Schenck utterly denies the statement that he [illegible] and stock for [illegible] law.

Silver Disbursed.

The treasury [illegible] silver in hand and exchange [illegible] for fractional currency.

Bristow Demands to be Heard.

Washington, April [illegible] the Department of Justice [illegible] district attorney of Kentucky [illegible] the right to be heard before the committee.

CANADA.

Provisions sent to Labrador.

[illegible], April [illegible].—A steamer with provisions for the Labrador coast is expected to leave here early next week.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

[illegible] April [illegible]—Morrill of Vermont [illegible] a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to allow Miss Minnie Sherman, [illegible] wedding presents from the [illegible] of Egypt [illegible]

The Senate then took up the bill to amend the laws relating to legal tender of silver coin, and Bogy spoke in favor of making silver a legal tender for all amounts and receivable in payment of duties at custom houses.

Thurman called up his motion to reconsider the vote whereby the bill passed [illegible] President and Vice President [illegible] think the Senate bill will pass the House [illegible]

Morton replied, saying he was surprised to find that the measure was considered a purely partisan one. He spoke long on the necessity of having a new law on the subject, and since the bill passed the Senate, a circumstance had been discussed which would startle the country when published. Bayard inquired what it was.

Morton would not mention any names, but it was a case where the Vice President was counting the votes [illegible] a false or void return to his own favor.

Thurman said he had seen it in the newspapers and there was no secret about names. It was [illegible] but that great man never did such a thing. It would not do now to make such a charge against such a man.

After debate the vote was reconsidered, 31 to 23, and the bill placed on the calendar.

Morton gave notice he would call it to morrow.

Sargent called up the bill to correct errors touching [illegible] to settlers of money deposited by them [illegible] surveys of lands which they used.

Sherman called up the bill to amend laws relating to the legal tender of silver coin in order that it might come up as unfinished business to morrow.

The bill relative to the Japanese indemnity fund then came up and without final action the Senate adjourned.

House.

Washington, April 20.—Singleton, from the committee on appropriations, reported back the Senate amendment to consular and diplomatic appropriation bill and moved that they be not concurred in; agreed to.

Young offered a resolution reciting the unsettled condition of the Mexican republic and the many outrages committed on the persons and property of American citizens living in the neighborhood of the Rio Grande and requesting the President of the United States to order such military force to rendezvous on the Rio Grande as will enable the President to enforce the existing neutrality laws to prevent hostilities on the border and to preserve peaceful relations between the countries, and also requesting the President to direct the general of the army to proceed in person to the scene of the outbreak and to take such measures as may be necessary to maintain the peace and protect the power and dignity of this government. Referred to the committee on foreign affairs.

Cox, from the committee on rules, made a report in the case of Chas. D. Smith, Journal clerk, who was shown to have issued a circular seeking business in the collection of additional bounty claims. The report rebukes severely the action of Smith, but inasmuch as he had resigned his position no action was recommended.

Wells reported back the Senate amendments to the deficiency bill, some of which were rejected and some concurred in without being read in the House.

Cole offered a resolution reciting the charges made in newspapers affecting the official conduct of B. H. Bristow, Secretary of the Treasury, in regard to the remission of forfeitures in the case of the bark Mary Merritt seized in Milwaukee in June, 1869, for violation of the customs laws, and instructing the committee on expenditures in the Treasury Department to inquire into the circumstances and ascertain on what grounds the judgment of forfeiture was remitted and for what purpose. Adopted.

Lawrence introduced a bill relating to the writ of habeas corpus. It provides that whenever any person shall be detained or imprisoned by order of the Senate or House, he shall be entitled to the privileges of the writ of habeas corpus and the Sergeant at Arms or any other officer having in custody the person detained or imprisoned, shall in obedience to the writ of habeas corpus produce before the District Judge or Justice who shall issue the writ the body of the person so detained without any order for that purpose from either the Senate or the House. Any person who shall be imprisoned or detained by such court of the United States or any justice or judge thereof for contempt shall be entitled to apply to any court having appelate jurisdiction in any case from the court, justice or judge having made such order of detention or imprisonment, or to any justice or judge of said court having such appelate jurisdiction for the writ of habeas corpus and the same shall be issued, served, proceeded with and determined as proper cases.

The House then took up the bill to transfer the Indian bureau to the War Department.

Cox made a speech against the bill in one of his humorous discourses. He was reminded by Morris, in an undertone, that he had a war record to which he referred amid great laughter—"Yours was struck out of the Congressional directory."

Conger, of Michigan also opposed the bill in the name of the churches of the country of all religious denominations, which would look with amazement at this effort to substitute the sword for the Bible.

Mills of Texas advocated the bill in the interest of the white men of the frontier.

[illegible] referred to Cox as the evangelist of New York, and Conger as one who ought to be a missionary, but he reminded them that they could not go to read the gospel to Indians unless they had a military guard at their backs. The gentleman [illegible] might as well propose to abolish the police of his city and rely on [illegible] principles, as to abolish the army for the control of Indians. No people could be civilized or Christianized until they were taught to obey the civil authority.

Maginnis of Montana advocated the bill and replied to Cox's argument against it. There were but two kinds of Indian battles, one when the troops surprised and killed Indians, and the other where the Indians surprised and killed the troops. If an army officer failed in an expedition he was ridiculed and sneered at, and if he succeeded he was vilified as a barbarian and murderer. Why then should army officers want a war in which they gained nothing and no glory or why should the settlers want a war in which they might have their cabins burned down and their wives and children slaughtered? The only people who wanted war were those corrupt thieving Indian agents.

Holman suggested an amendment which latter he offered as a substitute for the whole bill, authorizing the President to detail army officers to perform the duties of Indian inspectors, commissioners, superintendents, agents and special agents, and argued that while this would be an economical reform it would help to break up the system of Indian frauds.

Finley was declared entitled to the seat now occupied by Walls of Florida, the vote being 119 against 84.

The Speaker presented various executive documents, including an immense amount of paper done up in a half dozen large packages containing the response to the call for information as to shareholders in national banks.

The House took a recess until evening to discuss the bill transferring the Indian bureau, but the proceedings then were entirely devoid of public interest, there being but few members present and those not confining themselves to the subject. The bill will probably be brought to a vote to morrow.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Bank of England.

London, April [illegible] P. M.—The minimum rate of discount at the Bank of England has been fixed at [illegible] per cent. The bullion in the Bank increased [illegible] during the past week. The amount [illegible] into the Bank on balance to day is [illegible]. The proportion of the Bank's reserve to liability is [illegible] per cent.

London, April [illegible] P. M.—Rate of discount for three months' bills in open market [illegible] per cent.

Bank of France.

Paris, April [illegible].—The specie in the Bank of France has increased [illegible] francs during the past week.

Cotton.

Liverpool, April 20.—Cotton is steadier; uplands [illegible], Orleans [illegible]; sales of 10,000 bales; receipts of [illegible], of which [illegible] are American.

Plague in the East.

Constantinople, April 20.—In Hillah and Bagdad from March [illegible] to April [illegible] there were [illegible] The plague has crossed to the left bank of the Tigris.

The Agreement between the Three Great Powers.

[illegible] the three Northern powers [illegible] the three other great [illegible] powers.

Queen Victoria.

[illegible], April 20.—Queen Victoria left to day for [illegible]

Another Attempt to Revictual Niksic.

[illegible]

Montenegro Declared War with Turkey.

[illegible], April 20.—The Kolnische Zeitung (newspaper) asserts that Montenegro has declared war against Turkey.

Preakness Beaten in England.

London, April 20.—The [illegible] race at New Market to day was won by Midland. Preakness, the American horse, was fourth.

Rossi's Hamlet Condemned.

London, April 20.—The Post and Standard criticise Signor Rossi's interpretation of the character of Hamlet unfavorably. The Post concludes however that the [illegible] verdict was eminently favorable. The Standard says: Those who expected much from Rossi's Hamlet must make up their minds to be disappointed. We shall look with [illegible] great distinction.

[illegible] English [illegible] He was suffering [illegible] criticism is that Rossi's Hamlet is too violent and [illegible] lacking dignity and repose. Other journals are [illegible] their comments.

Ammunition sent to the Insurgents.

[illegible], April [illegible].—A large quantity of ammunition was sent to the [illegible] yesterday from [illegible] with the [illegible] cavalry [illegible] headquarters [illegible]

Reforms for Cuba being Considered.

Madrid, April [illegible].—In the Senate yesterday the Minister of the Colonies, replying to a question about the reforms to be introduced in the financial administration of Cuba, stated the government was considering the subject, but was undecided as yet, and in the present condition of the question any discussion of it was inopportune.

Montenegrin Demands on Turkey.

Vienna, April [illegible].—It is stated that the negotiations which have been pending at Constantinople since the [illegible] between the Porte and the special envoy of Montenegro demand the cession of the Herzegovinian Valley as far as Mostar, beside the harbor of Spizza. The newspapers express fears lest the Sultan raise the standard of the Prophet, thus appealing to Mohammedan fanaticism.

The Turks Victorious.

Constantinople, April 20.—The minister of war has received a telegram from Mukhtar Pasha dated Tuesday. Mukhtar says: We have arrived at Gatzko. Victorious engagements have been fought continually. During six days we were occupied in advancing towards and returning from the neighborhood of Niksic. We gained striking advantages although the rebels, who are 14,000 strong, are twice as numerous as we. The Prince of Montenegro openly made war upon us. About 7,000 well armed and regularly organized Montenegrins had joined the insurgents in fighting. The telegram from Mostar coincides with the foregoing and states that Mukhtar returned to Gatzko after having provisions for Niksic in Fort Presjeka, which is three hours march to the northward of Niksic. Thirty-one Turks were killed and wounded. The insurgent loss was much greater.

Effect Produced by the News from Herzegovina.

London, April 18.—A Paris correspondent says: The Bourse was convulsed at its close yesterday by the news that 7,000 Montenegrins have joined the insurgents. The intelligence is considered very serious. The insurgents have received considerable sums of money from Russia and Russia is believed to be playing a double game, or else is powerless by reason of Slave influence to stop insurrection.

MEXICO.

Mexican Revolution.

New York, April 19.—The Herald's Brownsville special says Gen. Quiroga with [illegible] soldiers is in pursuit of [illegible]. Pedro Martinez is expected in Monterey with 600 cavalry. [illegible] and Pacheco are on route for the frontier with their brigades. [illegible] arrived at Monterey on Saturday with 110 infantry and four pieces of artillery. It is reported that Naranjo and Trevino are making for the frontier. It is their last resort.

GEN. CROOK'S BIG HORN EXPEDITION.

ITS FAILURE AND THE CAUSES THEREOF.

By way of premise, and to correct in advance any false opinion which may be formed upon reading this statement, we will say that the information here given has not been obtained from any person who was sworn to secrecy—meaning by this the officers of Gen. Crook's command, all of whom have been entirely too reticent concerning the campaign to suit our reporters. The facts herein made public for the first time have been furnished us by scouts and other employes of the expedition, and not a single one having been divulged by any officer of the command.

General Crook evinced dissatisfaction with his command when leaving here, and although he said little, it was easily seen that he was not at all pleased with the prospects for the success of the expedition. Soldier like, however, he bravely undertook the campaign, though he undoubtedly knew that there were big chances for failure and but slim ones for success.

When he had reached the heart of the Indian country, and word was brought him by his scouts of the discovery of the large Indian village of Crazy Horse and also the location of Sitting Bull's camp, he detailed the next officer in command, with all the troops save two companies, for the attack on Crazy Horse, and, with the pack train and a handful of men, himself started for Sitting Bull's trail. Orders were given the officer sent to attack Crazy Horse to destroy his village, capture his ponies, and inflict upon him and his murderous band the severest punishment possible.

Crazy Horse was surrounded and completely surprised, and had Gen. Crook's orders been obeyed, the band of this predatory chief would now be scattered to the four winds. But disobedience and incompetency characterized the actions of the commander of the detachment (Col. J. J. Reynolds) and he thus baffled Gen. Crook's well laid plans, covered himself with disgrace and filled his superior's heart with such chagrin as only the brave soldier can feel when he himself is doing his duty, but from force of circumstances, can neither prevent the mismanagement nor remove the errors of others upon whose success and devotion his own efforts and achievements depend.

Captain Egan, with his gallant Grays, was ordered to charge through the Indian village, and another detachment was ordered to meet him half way, charging from the opposite direction. Brave Egan did his duty, forcing his way through the village. But he was not sustained, the detachment ordered to meet him, which was commanded by an officer of the Third Cavalry, sitting quietly on their horses in plain sight of the village, though at a safe distance, during the whole fight, which lasted four or five hours. This was the first, and probably the worst blunder—mildly speaking—of the expedition, as had Egan been supported, many Indians would have been made truly good, and the band completely broken up.

As it was, however, a number of Indians were killed and some soldiers killed and wounded, though we cannot learn the exact extent of the losses of the command. Over 700 Indian ponies were captured, and these were turned over to the officer commanding the Crazy Horse expedition. General Crook, as has been stated, was 25 miles away during the fight.

On the following morning, in disobedience of Crook's orders, the captured ponies were allowed to be driven off by the Indians, it being done in plain sight of the commander, who made no effort to prevent it, although a dozen men could easily have held the ponies had he so ordered.

Immediately upon learning of the manner in which his subordinate had conducted the affair, General Crook ordered a retreat, and the Big Horn expedition at once returned to Fetterman and thence to this city.

Had there been no disobedience of orders Crook, upon the defeat of Crazy Horse, would have immediately marched upon Sitting Bull, and in our opinion the Sioux question would have been settled, or very nearly so by this time. Instead, he was obliged to abandon that idea and return.

Another expedition, with experienced officers and men, probably from the Second and Fifth Cavalry regiments, is now being organized by General Crook, and within a month will be en route to Sitting Bull's headquarters. There will be no [illegible] about the business, and we expect to see grand and beneficial results attained by the second expedition.—Cheyenne Leader.

At the annual election at St. [illegible] Episcopal church of Olympia, on Easter Monday, the following persons were elected wardens and vestrymen for the ensuing year: Capt. S. W. [illegible] and Dr. A. H. Steele, wardens; Gov. E. P. Ferry, Gen. [illegible] McKenney, R. W. [illegible], [illegible], W. W. Evans and Thomas N. Ford, vestrymen. At the organization of the vestry on Thursday, the 13th inst., [illegible] was elected secretary and Dr. A. H. Steele treasurer. The two wardens and Gov. E. P. Ferry were elected lay delegates to the next meeting of the Convocation of Oregon and Washington Territory.

THE FLOODGATES REOPENED.

"Let No Guilty Man Escape."

Charges of Corruption made against the President.

New York, April 20.—The Herald's Washington special publishes the following under immense headlines: Important and trustworthy evidence directly implicating the President of the United States in illegal and corrupt use of the public money has been taken to day before the committee on the Department of Justice and comes from no less a person than an ex-member of his cabinet, ex-Attorney General George H. Williams, who in fact shields himself behind a written order of the President. In a word it involves the payment out of the secret service fund by order of Grant of [illegible] elections in the city of New York in the years 1871, '72 and '73. All this money was paid to the notorious John I. Davenport, who was chief supervisor under the enforcement act, but who does not receipt for it in a single instance as an officer of the government at all, but simply as John I. Davenport. In one instance he merely gives his own due bill for a payment made to him in his official capacity, all duly receipted and audited in the Treasury and correct, and from all legal account this corruption fund for election purposes was gobbled from the secret service fund.

Ex-Attorney General Williams says he was first called upon to pay Davenport $6,000 in 1871. He hesitated to use the public money in that way and called upon the President, who, after a brief conversation, ordered its payment by a written order. In the fall of 1872, when the last Presidential election was held, $20,000 was ordered to be paid to Davenport, the ex-Attorney General testifying that in each instance he received the verbal order of the President before turning over the money. Last fall $6,000 more were paid. When Williams half remonstrated against the largest payment for election in 1872, when Grant ran against Greeley, the President said: "Davenport is engaged in a great work up there; he must have money." When pressed by the committee on the corrupt and illegal use of this fund, the ex-Attorney General evaded and dodged, and seemed reluctant to tell, though not so willing after all to protect the President. This corruption fund was paid on the order of the President to Whitely, and by the latter to Davenport. Whitely produced to day to the committee Davenport's voucher for every cent, and Williams corroborated him in that and in other respects.

The Herald's Washington special says: Astounding developments were made to day, the testimony involving in a very painful manner President Grant. The story confirms the charges made in New York in 1872—that the Administration had interfered in corruption of elections that year. It follows the evidence and the story substantially that just sent to the Herald. The Herald's Washington special adds: The President will probably be subpoenaed before the committee to answer these questions for himself. During the course of the examination of Williams he was asked what conversation passed between himself and the President when the latter ordered the first payment of money to Davenport, the object of the question being to draw from the witness that he had as a law officer advised the President that such payment of money was illegal, but witness answered that he could not recollect especially what conversation was had, and when the question was put in a more leading way, almost directly in fact, he still failed to recollect what had been said.

The question whether the committee shall call the President before them or not and in what manner they shall question him, will probably be discussed by the committee to morrow. Presidents Jefferson and Lincoln appeared before committees of Congress to testify, and Grant, it is believed, desires to appear and will come as soon as he is summoned. On the Black Friday case the investigating committee sent him a copy of the testimony and requested him to send in such an answer as he chooses to make. It is said there has been uneasiness in Administration circles for some days about the coming and embarrassing developments.

The committee have only begun the investigation of what has been done at different times with the secret service fund in the department of justice. They are said to be on the track of other expenditures not different in their kind from this made in New York, but in the aggregate very largely exceeding it in amount. There are fifteen or twenty receipts to Whitely from Davenport, amounting to $40,000. In the letters from the Attorney General and Davenport, Williams gave directions to Whitely as to the disposition of the money, which were to give it to Davenport. Some of the documents are already in the hands of the committee and Whitely supposed they were stolen from his office. Money was paid in sums varying from $10,000 to $50,000 each time. Williams said he was ordered to have it paid to Davenport by the President. $20,000 of this was paid to Davenport just before the election of 1872. The witness did not seem inclined to give the facts but they were forced out of him and when he saw that they had the letters he gave up.

The World says editorially: The most melancholy news which has ever fallen to our lot to lay before the public, barely excepting the assassination of Lincoln, is that which we publish this morning, reciting the political and moral suicide of President Grant in the use of the secret service money as for an election corruption fund for his party's benefit and his own re-election. His agent was the notorious John I. Davenport. The money was spent by him in defrauding the New York City Democracy of their just rights at the ballot box. Proofs exist in Davenport's individual receipts, not his receipts as an officer. The testimony of the witness, ex-Attorney General Williams, [illegible] envelopes the administration and Republican party in such black an infamy that what course will be taken by the House of Representatives upon this terrible exposure we will not now presume to suggest or say. Were the term of the President but beginning instead of drawing to a close his impeachment for high crimes and misdemeanor would be an imperative duty, as it is perhaps the sounder judgment will be that for the sake of his former services to the state he be spared that public pillory and [illegible] his name will be suffered to pass into history with its brightness and its blots to attest the temperance of the Democratic politicians and the magnanimity of the Republic.

The Herald says editorially: Scarce a day passes in these times of investigation but some reputation honored in the sight of the nation, falls down in loathsome ashes at the merest touch. In all the scandals unearthed since Belknap's infamy burst upon the country and indeed long before it, vultures of corruption have been seen hovering and circling close about the President, yet the large majority have charitably hoped and believed that near as taint of evil came to him he at least might come out unsmirched. It is to be feared this hope will prove fallacious. Revelations made before the committee of the House investigating expenditures in the department of Justice show the President has been the author of the raid upon the treasury whose unwarrantable shamelessness even the witness had not the courage to defend. This is as great a blow to the President as to Williams and Davenport. They have no characters to lose that they would be likely to grieve over or any one else for them, but to the President, who surely counts on a respected memory, this discovery must be as great a shock as it will prove to the country at large.

The Tribune's Washington special confirms the story briefly, but evidently too late for editorial.

The Sun also has the story in full without comment.

Williams' Explanation.

Washington, April 20.—In regard to the testimony of Whitely and ex-Attorney General Williams while before the committee on expenditures in the Department of Justice yesterday, Williams in conversation to day said: In 1872 the President came to me after his return from a trip to New York and said he had examined the work of Davenport in preparing a perfectly accurate list of the voters in New York, and that he was deeply impressed with its importance; that when the list was completed it would be an effectual preventive of fraudulent voting; that the expense of making the list was great, and that he wished I would assist Davenport by paying out of such funds as could properly be used in such sums of money as would insure the completion of this important work. Accordingly I did pay Davenport—with the express understanding that the money was to be used for no other purpose than that of completing this registration. In all about thirty five thousand dollars running through a period of nearly two years from 1871 to 1873. I had authority under existing statutes to pay money to prevent frauds at elections, and the work done by Davenport has been a saving to the government of many thousand dollars. Davenport properly shows where every dollar of the $[illegible] was expended. He has been summoned and will no doubt explain the matter satisfactorily. There was nothing wrong in this transaction and the President will not hesitate to say that he directed the money to be paid for the purpose I have explained. The records of the department show that the payment to Davenport began under Attorney General Ackerman, my predecessor, who like me had free authority under existing laws to make such payments.

The Northern Star says of LaConner: This town does an extensive shipping business each year in agricultural products raised on the Swinomish flats. It is situated about one mile north of the south entrance of the Swinomish slough. One of its chief drawbacks is the shallow water [illegible] of the slough, yet most of the difficulties of navigation of this slough for Sound boats could be remedied by dredging out the channel. This would cost but little and would be of great benefit to the commerce of the Sound. This town is built upon one of those peculiar rocky hillocks that rise like islands in a sea out of the dead level of these flats. The town contains two good stores, one hotel, warehouses, wharves, etc., and quite a number of neat residences.

The city of Seattle has ordained that the tax on property in the municipal corporation for 1876, shall be ten mills on the dollar and $1 poll tax on each male between the ages of 21 and 50 years.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

San Francisco, April 20.—Ophir 60[illegible]; Mexican [illegible]; Gould & Curry 18[illegible]; B. & B. 54; Cal 81[illegible]; Savage 17; Con Va 70; Chollar 10[illegible]; H. & N. 69[illegible]; C P [illegible]; [illegible] Jacket [illegible]; Imperial 6; Kentuck [illegible]; Alpha 70; Belcher 31[illegible]; Bullion [illegible]; Confidence 23[illegible]; Nevada 20[illegible]; Exchequer 21[illegible]; Utah 24; Exchequer 21[illegible]; Seg Belcher [illegible]; Overman 70; Justice 2[illegible]; Union 17[illegible]; Succor 6[illegible]c; Bryan 62[illegible]; Julia [illegible]; Caledonia 10[illegible].

Evening Board.—Valley [illegible]; R. & E. [illegible]; [illegible] Con 12; Jackson 5; Alps [illegible]; Pacific [illegible]; Prussian [illegible]; Belmont 1; Leopard [illegible]; Panther [illegible]; N. Belle 38; Huscy [illegible]; Gen Thomas 2; Meta [illegible]; Mansfield 30c; Portman [illegible]; G. Chariot 3[illegible]; Knickerbocker 75c; Baltimore 2; Silver Hill [illegible]; N. Y. [illegible]; Dayton 7[illegible]; Island [illegible]; Occidental 4[illegible]; Alta 3[illegible]; Woodville 2[illegible]; Tyler 30c; Mint [illegible]; Kossuth [illegible]; Europa 75c; Andes [illegible]; W. Fargo [illegible]; [illegible] Cosmopolitan 10c; So. Justice 1[illegible]; N. Con Va 1[illegible]; Prospect [illegible]; Trojan 1[illegible]; Vivian 2; Silver City 1[illegible].

Legal tenders, 89@89½ buying, 89¾@89⅞ selling.

Second Meeting of Leopard Stockholders.

San Francisco, April 20.—The second meeting of dissatisfied stockholders in the Leopard mine was held last evening, Mr. Roberts presiding. The report of the investigating committee was read and accepted. It consisted of a copy of the books and business done during the year of 1875 and the first two months of 1876. Vouchers had been examined and accounts found correct. The report charged no dishonesty on the part of officials, but seemed to imply, without stating it, that everything was all right. All that was found out of the way was in the opinion of the committee, that the mill should have been shut down and work discontinued before it was as it did not pay. A motion was finally made that the committee be authorized and empowered to call a meeting of the Leopard stockholders and do all in their power to oust the present management and collect all the stock they were able to for the purpose of electing a new board. The motion was unanimously carried.

Chinese Nuisance.

Before the Senate Chinese commission this morning, Wong Ben, a Chinaman engaged in trade in the city and formerly interpreter in the court at Sacramento gave some interesting testimony as to the ways of his countrymen. He stated that the Chinese women could be bought in China for about $90 and sold here for $800. That if any of them objected to a life of prostitution they were forced into it and treated worse than dogs by their masters; that the whites patronize the Chinese prostitutes to a great extent; that the women say the special policemen collect four bits weekly for each gas jet burned in their dens. He had known about 100 lotteries in operation, each paying the special police eight dollars per month. The gambling houses, of which there were about eighty, last year, paid from $5 to $14 per month. He thought many of the police liked to keep the houses running as they were a source of profit to them. He knew many instances where murders had been committed among the Chinese and the witnesses terrified into silence. He knew also of rewards being offered for killing obnoxious parties. He heard last week that eight thousand dollars had been put up by the Chinese to employ legal advice and fight the laws.

Dr. Toland testified at length concerning the prevalence of private diseases among the Chinese, and its dissemination among white youth. He claimed that the result will be that the Chinese will fill our hospitals. He stigmatized their presence here as a crime against against civilization.

Dr. J. C. Shorb corroborated Toland's testimony.

Directors Elected.

The Grangers' Business Association have elected the following directors: D. Inman, G. P. Kellogg, R. C. Hall, Dr. Flint, I. C. Steele, T. Upton, D. Campbell, J. Lewellen, O. Hubble, W. L. Overhiser and A. Adams.

Spalding Court-Martial.

San Francisco, April 20.—In the Spalding court martial, Joseph Crawford, clerk in the navy pay office, testified with regard to the relations of John O. Hanscom, Farwell & Co. and J. C. DeLa Montague with the pay department, that the amount on the certificate book purporting to be due Hanscom from 11th Sept. 1874, to 1st Jan., 1875, was $155,960.82. The amount actually due as shown on the expenditure book was $35,000. There were certificates issued to Hanscom and Farwell & Co., as shown on the certificate book between the 1st of January, 1875, and 31st of August, 1875, amounting to $287,180.85, while the requisition book only calls for $37,000 due. The certificate book shows certificates amounting to $187,722.60 were issued to DeLa Montague from 1st July, 1874, to 1st January, 1875, while the amount actually due was $20,000. This corroborates the statements of Farwell that he knew nothing of the number of certificates standing in his name, and that of Montague to the same effect.

Examination of the Accounts of a Collector of Internal Revenue.

At 8 o'clock this morning Supervisor Hawley and Special Agents Crane and Clarke called at the office of the internal revenue collector and demanded the keys of the vault for the purpose of making an examination of the collector's accounts. Throughout the morning they have been busily engaged in examining and counting internal revenue stamps and coin. These examinations, or takings of stock, as they are called, occur periodically, but the unusually early hour at which it was commenced this morning has created a flutter in official circles. Rumors of something being wrong are very thick. Collector Sedgwick and his deputies profess to be utterly ignorant of any unusual move prompting this movement. It is understood that the supervisor and his assistants are acting under special orders from Washington.

Republican Primaries.

The Republican primary election to day has been void of excitement, and a light vote cast. The custom house brigade made their fight in a very loose manner, while the reform wing have worked openly and have evidently polled a heavy vote, though no results as yet obtained.

Run over by the Cars and Killed.

Sacramento, April 19.—The injuries received at Vallejo on Monday evening by John H. Kelton, the yard man, who was run over by one of the cars at that place, were of such a nature as to render useless all the skillful efforts of the surgeon, and he died at the railroad hospital at 11 o'clock last evening. He leaves a wife and two children.

Greenback Club Meeting.

The greenback club of this city held a meeting last evening and determined to forward the national currency movement as much as possible by the adoption of the following resolution: Resolved, That all persons favorable to the new currency movement are hereby requested to meet in convention in Sacramento on the 28th of April to choose twelve delegates to attend the national greenback convention in Indianapolis on the 17th of May, 1876.

Meeting to Organize an Anti-Chinese Society.

Last evening a secret conclave took place in Graham's hall for the purpose of organizing an anti-Chinese society. There was quite a crowd in attendance, but nothing is known of their transactions.

Pronunciamento in Favor of Diaz Expected.

San Diego, April 20.—It is reported that a pronunciamento in favor of Diaz is likely to be made at San Rafael, Lower California, in a few days.

Weather.

The weather is cool and pleasant, with frosty nights, quite favorable to grain interests.

NEVADA.

J. W. Rover Found Guilty of Murder in the 1st Degree.

Winnemucca, April 20.—The long and tedious trial of J. W. Rover, the murderer, has at last been brought to a close. For fourteen days have the jury in this case been confined to the court house. The case has been the most peculiar one involving a great amount of circumstantial evidence, causing a rigid and searching cross examination. The prosecution and defense were ably represented, and an eloquent argument in behalf the defendant was delivered by the Hon. M. S. Bonnifield. The jury being instructed by the court at 10:30 P. M., Judge Bonnifield presiding, they retired, and after an absence of an hour and a half, returned with a verdict of guilty of murder in the 1st degree. The court house was packed with spectators and a universal opinion prevails that the verdict is correct.

ARIZONA.

Operations against the Chericahua Indians.

Camp Verde, April 17.—Maj. Brayton, two lieutenants and Dr. Bragles, left yesterday with company E, Sixth cavalry, and four Indian scouts for San Carlos. One hundred more Indian scouts will be enlisted and sent to Camp Grant to fully equip to join the other troops in the campaign against the Chericahua Indians.

Accidental Homicide.

Prescott, April 17.—Michael and Wincowski, musicians belonging to the Eighth infantry band, returning home after night were met by a party of soldiers. A quarrel ensued and Wincowski drawing a revolver fired, accidentally killing his friend Michael.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Victoria, April 20.—In the House yesterday a motion was made that the Dominion government be requested to restore the old tariff which was abandoned for the Dominion tariff when the immediate commencement of the railway was expected, and that the province have the power to modify it without injury or prejudice to the Dominion government. After considerable discussion the resolution passed.

The bill enabling legal proceedings to be taken against foreign companies doing business in this province, was referred to a committee and reported with amendments. The bill provides that in case a company does not keep open an office, service of a writ on the registrar or deputy registrar shall be considered a sufficient service.

It is reported that Thaddeus Harper intends taking some 800 head of cattle to Chicago. He will drive them to Salt Lake and then take the railroad, and make money by the speculation, as cattle are so cheap in the interior.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The Hawaiian bark Pomare, late the Robert Cowan, arrived at Victoria from Honolulu on Thursday of last week, with 240 tons freight.

It is rumored that English heirs have been found for the Rippon estate; that an agent is on the way out to claim it, and that the late government of British Columbia converted it into cash and spent it.

Cassiar miners have petitioned the government to impose a toll on all goods passing over the road from Telegraph Creek to Dease Lake, the proceeds to be applied to the improvement of the road.

The Broad Arrow says H. M. S. Shah, 26, an iron frigate, wood encased, will be commissioned June 1st for Victoria station. The Shah will be the flagship of Rear Admiral Hancock, who has been appointed to the command of H. M. fleet in the Pacific.

A collision has taken place between Captain Jimmy Jones, who rented the Institute Hall at Nanaimo, and the Lewis Bros., who proposed to perform in that building on Saturday evening last. Capt. J. J. abdicated and—the Free Press says—came to Victoria to sue for $5,000 damages.

A Victorian asks: "Are negotiations now pending, or do the government intend to open negotiations with the United States, with the object of extending the treaty of Washington to British Columbia, in order that the fish and fish oils of that province may be admitted into the United States duty free?"

The Nanaimo Free Press says: From further information received from Mr. Nicholas in reference to the seam of coal lately struck by Messrs. Francis and Nicholas on their farm at Wellington, we learn that the seam is nine feet, and is composed of coal and slate in the following strata: The first 3 feet 3 inches consists of alternate thin layers of coal and slate, then follows 3 inches coal, 4 inches slate, 14 inches coal, 12 inches slate, 6 inches coal, 6 inches slate, and at the bottom of the seam 24 inches coal. The shaft is 9 feet long by 5 feet wide, and in that 5 feet the coal increases 2½ inches in thickness.

In October last several registered letters containing remittances for money were posted at Dease Creek. They had not arrived at Victoria when the senders came down. Amongst others Dennis Cain, who was lost on the Pacific, found that a valuable letter he had registered at Dease Creek had not reached the postoffice at Victoria. An inquiry was sent back to Cassiar by the postoffice inspector, but owing to the irregular communication it was not until the arrival of the mail two or three weeks ago that word was received that the missing letters had hybernated in the postoffice at Laketown. They will probably be brought down by the California.

THE TERRITORIES.

Subscriptions to the Seattle and Walla Walla railroad project amount to $21,700.

John Ladd, of Grand Ronde, has 222 head of fat hogs on the way to Idaho City.

Olympia Grange will observe Saturday, May 6th, as decoration day—visiting the graves of their deceased, and decorating them in the usual manner.

Wm. McCool, late of Walla Walla, was drowned while attempting to cross a slough near the town of Middleton, Ada county, Idaho, on the 6th of this month.

The Boise City paper says: "Mr. John Lewis passed through here on the 13th, with a very large bay stallion, weighing 1,490 lbs., which Sam Hannah of Union county, Oregon, had purchased of J. Q. Shirley. The horse is of the Clydesdale stock. Mr. Shirley is now in Oregon, where he has purchased 5,500 head of cattle for the Cheyenne market."

A steamer after the first of May next, will probably make one or two trips a month from Seattle to Skagit river, touching on the way, either going or coming, or touching both ways, at Mukilteo, Tulalip, Snohomish City, Port Susan Bay, Hatt's Landing and Centerville. Quite a trade already exists between Seattle and those places, though no regular steamer has ever been on the route named.

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THE LAST EXPLOSION AT WASH[illegible] IN [illegible]

[illegible] ... of the Attorney-General ... the Department of Justice ... The matter is sufficient ... Attorney General Williams ... known ... to the general comment ... The latest ... the funds of the Department for purposes ... Williams offers an explanation which he thinks will exculpate himself and the President from any charge of crime ... this explanation ... was supposed to be ... John I. Davenport, a man somewhat notorious in New York politics, was furnished with money from the public funds ... of the Attorney General with which to prevent ... against fraud by making lists of voters and ascertaining such facts as might be of use in determining the qualifications of persons who might offer their votes.

This is in brief the statement of Judge Williams, who adds that he does not doubt the President will be ready to take the responsibility of this appropriation of the funds as it was made by his orders. It must be admitted that the explanation is based upon rather an extended construction of the power entrusted to the Department of Justice to prevent fraud in the elections. It has not been generally supposed, so far as we are aware, that the government of the United States through its secret service organization could lawfully provide for secret registration of the voters of the respective States as supplementary to the State laws on that subject. The employment of a reasonable detective force in places where there was strong reason to apprehend gross frauds in the election especially in the election of Congressmen and Presidential Electors might be allowable. But that is quite a different thing from the use made of the fund in this case. Instead of the organizing of a detective corps purely and simply it is manifest this was nothing else than the organizing of the party for the election day as that is ordinarily understood. An extraordinary emergency, of course, requires an extraordinary remedy, but before the extraordinary remedy can be justified the existence of the extraordinary emergency must be conclusively shown. So far there has been no such showing in this case as will satisfy a just public mind.

We do sincerely hope further developments may change the aspect of this ugly disclosure, and vindicate the honor of the two eminent persons mainly implicated. During the course of Judge Williams' long public service there have been many things which we could not approve and some that we thought deserving of severe censure, but we have not been prepared to hear any such things as those now apparently coming to light. It was with unfeigned sorrow that we witnessed his fatal conduct in connection with the politics of this State in the winter of 1873-4 when he was Attorney General, and it is with positive pain that we now see him apparently in a still more unfortunate predicament than that in which his course at that time placed him. Howsoever numerous may be those who profess no surprise at the facts now reported, we confess we are too much surprised to give the report the fullest credence.

But above and beyond all merely personal considerations and sympathies is the consideration that the disclosures, if true, affect the honor of the Executive head of the Republic, and through him the honor of the Republic itself. We have no exalted opinion of the person who happens just now to be President of the United States. He has consorted so much with persons under open suspicion of criminal purposes in seeking association with him, and has in so many ways identified himself with them in habits and manners of life, as to forfeit, or at least to lose, to a large extent the high esteem of the better part of the people which he enjoyed at the close of the war. But he is the President, and it is no ordinary humiliation for the chief magistrate of the greatest republic and one among the greatest Christian powers of the earth to stand accused in so solemn a form of using the treasure of the people, entrusted to him for the purpose of enabling him to maintain the laws of the country, to corrupt the people's ballot in his own interest. The subject rises so high above any partisan consideration that we can hardly conceive it possible for any patriotic citizen, no matter how strong may be his party feelings, not to wish the reports may prove untrue so far as they involved the President in anything more serious than such error of judgment as can be overlooked in view of the pressure and temptation of his situation.

[illegible] MAN [illegible]

A sensible Democrat said yesterday: "If the Democrats in Congress may succeed ... the Republicans pretty ... but what I want ... evidence that they themselves are ... [illegible]

[illegible]

be made than one predicting the speedy outbreak of war in Europe.

Gov. Hayes has issued a proclamation to the turbulent coal miners in Ohio who are on a strike and who are trying to prevent other miners who are willing to accept the wages offered by the mine owners from working. [illegible] ... military force ... for that purpose. The effect of the ... of the proclamation will probably be ... end the strike.

The Board of Trade acted ... the proposition of the Central Pacific Railway Company to construct the ... It is not ... Whether there will be any such modification of it as will be satisfactory to the people of the State is not certain ... The people want railway connection with the Atlantic States and would hesitate to contribute liberally to secure it, but they would want another quarter of a century rather than place themselves so completely at the mercy of any railway company.

The overflow of the Mississippi has not yet receded. An extensive area of low lands is still submerged and the resulting damage is not ... In some cases the very soil is destroyed for all useful purposes or badly washed with the stream. Houses have been carried away, stock drowned and growing crops ruined. It is reported there will be many thousand bales of cotton lost besides the enormous damage to the sugar and other crops. In some places the river is twenty five feet above ordinary low water mark.

The Senate by a unanimous vote passed a bill directing the Secretary of the Treasury to allow Mrs. Minnie Sherman Fitch to have the splendid diamond wedding present sent her by the Khedive without paying the duty on it. The value of this set of diamonds was at first estimated at $200,000 but it has since been valued at $75,000. Up to the present time the diamonds have been held by the custom house officers on account of the non payment of the duty.

Mr. Sandford's horse Preakness ran his first race in England on the 18th inst. and was badly beaten, as might have been expected from his reported condition. The race was won by Mo[illegible]land, a horse of no very great fame. Preakness is reported to have been much too fleshy to run well, and it is possible that later in the season when in tip-top condition he may do better, but we don't very much whether he will be able to beat the English cracks.

The Emperor and Empress of Brazil have started across the continent. They intend visiting San Francisco and other places of interest on this coast.

ARIZONA LETTER.

A GOOD PLACE TO KEEP AWAY FROM.

WALNUT GROVE, A. T., March 20, 1876.

To the Editor of the Oregonian:

As an act of charity and kindness to the people of Oregon and my friends in general I send you a few words warning people who have got homes (no matter how inferior they are) to not break up and come to Arizona but to stay where they are and be satisfied. If they come to Arizona they will regret it the longest day they live for this is no country for men who have families to support and is hardly fit for single men, especially those who are Oregon born like your humble servant. Young men of Oregon, stay where you are, marry and settle down as your humble servant intends to do if he ever has the good luck to reach dear Webfoot. This is no country for you.

Now about the country. The climate is good, the mines are good, there is some grass and a great deal of roots and cactus, and some that are not as good as they might be. Transportation is so high that it costs a large fortune to get machinery here, consequently the mines are not worked very extensively. One great want of the country is water sufficient for the supply of steams for water power, stock, &c. To sum it all up this is a hard country, let people say what they may; no schools, no churches. The great object of the people is to get ... and if you ask them to show you the road they expect you to pay them for it.

Oregon is as far ahead of Arizona as day is ahead of night. To my friends once more, don't you come to this country. When I come back to Oregon I will give you a lecture on the merits of Arizona. I consider that I may save the people of Oregon just the simple sum of $3,000 apiece by warning them not to come to this country, for no one can appreciate Oregon until he leaves it and comes to this desert and drinks salt and alkali water and pays $1 a meal for bread and beans with no apples and apple pies to sharpen his appetite.

From Oregon's best friend,

ALBERT LAMBERSON.

OREGON MEDICAL SOCIETY.

Whereas, the regular meeting of the Medical Society of the State of Oregon comes on the first Monday in June next, the day of the State election, and as but few members from a distance would be likely to attend, it has been suggested that those present should adjourn till the [illegible] th of the following month, when a good attendance would be secured, and the members have an opportunity to participate in the Fourth of July celebration, to which they have been invited. They should endeavor to reach Portland the [illegible] of July.

All members and medical men attending the meeting on paying full fare to Portland will be returned free upon a certificate of the permanent secretary over the following routes: O. S. N. Co., Willamette Transportation and Lock Co., O. C. R. R. and the O. and C. R. R.

As there is a general acquiescence as far as known in this arrangement the undersigned having no power in the premises simply make the announcement.

R. GLISAN, M. D., President.

CURTIS C. STRONG, M. D., Permanent Secretary.

The libellant in a divorce case in England recently, while cross examining the co-respondent concerning a certain affecting leave taking with the respondent at a railway station, asked: "Did you not place your hand in his saying 'Meet me in heaven, George'?" "Would you have had me ask him to meet me in hell?" flashed back the lady. When the roars in the court room had subsided the lawyer [illegible] "Did you or did you not ask him to meet you in heaven?" "Yes, I did," was the next retort, "but I hope you don't call that an improper assignation."

Clara, a little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phillips, who live on the Bull ... near Boise City, was accidentally scalded on Sunday before last, about 1 o'clock, ... a coffee pot off the stove, when the ... gave way and the contents spilled on the child, who was ... The child died the following Tuesday from the effects of the scald.

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The polls will be open from 11 o'clock A. M. to [illegible] o'clock P. M.

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I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT ON MONDAY, April [illegible], I will sell at public auction at the City Pound ... [illegible]

CHAS. LAWRENCE, City Pound Keeper.

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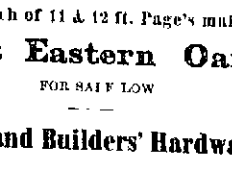

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A DEFUNCT CELESTIAL [illegible]

[illegible] the Ch[illegible] ... of poison with the p[illegible] ... life particulars of wh[illegible] ... our issue of yesterd[illegible] ... and a Celestial [illegible] ... accordance with the time [illegible] ... customs of the[illegible] ... the breath of life h[illegible] ... the body was taken [illegible] ... deposited on the sidewal[illegible] ... allowed to remain all night [illegible] ... Yesterday Coroner [illegible] ... who, after summoni[illegible] ... hold an inquest. In[illegible] ... was rendered:

We, the undersigned ju[illegible] ... Coroner J. A. Wetmore [illegible] ... cause of the death of a Ch[illegible] ... before us do find that ha[illegible] ... that he came to his deat[illegible] ... the 19th day of April, 18[illegible] ... Bu Sing, on Jefferson st[illegible] ... and First by taking some[illegible] ... name of which is unknow[illegible]

J. H. W[illegible]

B. J. Starr [illegible] Ritch[illegible] ... Hachoney Daniel Wal[illegible]

LIST OF PASSENGERS— ... which sailed last evening ... carried away the followin[illegible] ... Hinkle and wife, J. A. Ca[illegible] ... and wife, W. L. Halsey [illegible] ... J. B. Tims, Mrs. The[illegible] ... children, Miss Anna Tuc[illegible] ... May Swetland, Jas. S[illegible] ... Flora Brooks, Miss [illegible] ... Drake and daughter, Ju[illegible] ... M. Nichols, Mrs. Luel[illegible] ... D. H. LeFollett, P[illegible] ... Bellinger, O. N. Hall[illegible] ... wife and two children, P[illegible] ... Mrs. Lettia Fr[illegible] ... J. B. Gatch[illegible] ... messenger, Steerag[illegible] ... M. M. LeBlanc[illegible] ... daughter and two child[illegible] ... John Cedergreen, Thos. [illegible] ... S. Rockwell and wi[illegible] ... Philip Kohl.

ENTERTAINMENT AT M[illegible] ... entertainment given by the M[illegible] ... on Saturday evenin[illegible] ... postponed from time to t[illegible] ... might be in com[illegible] ... successful beyond all exp[illegible] ... from the city were pr[illegible] ... have been but for the [illegible] ... were held in the district [illegible] ... fitted up with stage [illegible] ... decorated with ever[illegible] ... Mr. Augustus Marquam [illegible] ... president with becoming [illegible] ... programme, which was qui[illegible] ... of the usual variety [illegible] ... without a single failu[illegible] ... Gill up to the professio[illegible] ... clubs are becoming very [illegible] ... and country among the v[illegible] ... benefit to society whereve[illegible]

DROWNED.—Sad intelli[illegible] ... city last evening that [illegible] ... brother of Capt. Baughm[illegible] ... pilot and steamboat m[illegible] ... Cathlamet, Wednesday. [illegible] ... to obtain particulars of [illegible] ... than that Baughman w[illegible] ... fording a creek a sh[illegible] ... Cathlamet. By some [illegible] ... capsized and he perish[illegible] ... could reach him. Dece[illegible] ... boats as a deck hand for [illegible]

INVITATIONS ACCEPTED.— ... of acceptance have [illegible] ... Secretary of the Centen[illegible] ... Committee: Albany Engine[illegible] ... E. Ross, O. S. M., [illegible] ... M. Hand, Dalles [illegible] ... Encampment I. O. of O. [illegible] ... Dorris & Hem[illegible] ... Gregg, Oregon Education[illegible] ... Surrey, Benton Democrat[illegible] ... Aurora M. V. Brown, S[illegible]

MEXICAN VETERANS.— ... served in the war with M[illegible] ... all Mexican veterans in [illegible] ... Territories assemb[illegible] ... some distinctive part[illegible] ... celebration in July. The[illegible] ... at the time for them[illegible] ... arrangements is short[illegible] ... of the State will call the [illegible] ... to the propriety of th[illegible]

A MATTER OF JUSTICE.— ... whose name appeared [illegible] ... records a few days ago, [illegible] ... understood that he was no[illegible] ... drunk and disorderly as [illegible] ... arrested on a charge of [illegible] ... officer in bringing a dru[illegible] ... Howard was fined [illegible] ... appealed the case an[illegible] ... bonds.

A HANDSOME PRESENT.— ... formerly owner of th[illegible] ... made the recipient o[illegible] ... valuable present a short t[illegible] ... Wm. S. Ladd ... a gold watch—one o[illegible] ... valued at about [illegible] ... appropriately inscrib[illegible] ... presented to the old gentle[illegible]

WEATHER REPORT.—From ... U. S. Signal station of Obs[illegible] ... Portland, April 20, 1876.

Thermometer ... A. M. ... Wind, direction ... N. W. ... Wind, velocity ... Weather ... Cloudy

NEW COMPANY.—Says [illegible] ... Burnett Troupe (who are [illegible] ... Dan Waldron, of the [illegible] ... for Salt Lake City, [illegible] ... under Manager Harr[illegible] ... "the best laughed at [illegible] ... any rate he is in good [illegible] ... Hope Waldron w[illegible]

BRIEF NO[illegible]

Democratic county conv[illegible] ... Remember the benefit [illegible] ... The San Francisco stea[illegible] ... Portland to-morrow. ... Miss Libbie Arnold, daug[illegible] ... Arnold, of Syracuse, N. Y., fo[illegible] ... M. E. conference is no[illegible] ... her friends. ... A new and commodious [illegible] ... been completed on the cor[illegible] ... Second streets by S. G. [illegible] ... by him as a carriage [illegible] ... At a meeting of the boar[illegible] ... Oregon Central Railroad [illegible] ... Holladay resigned th[illegible] ... of the company and [illegible] ... was elected in his ste[illegible] ... The Father Mathew S[illegible] ... improved their hall so th[illegible] ... an attractive appearan[illegible] ... to enlarge it so as to [illegible] ... during the winter [illegible] ... The collector of revenu[illegible] ... satisfied that there are pers[illegible] ... engaged in manufacturing [illegible] ... who are violating the rev[illegible] ... a sharp lookout for [illegible] ... if they are caught they w[illegible] ... It would [illegible]

POLICE COURT[illegible]

[illegible] ... assault and battery ... [illegible] ... fined $10 ... [illegible] ... fined $6.

The annual meeting ... the First Hebrew Ben[illegible] ... will be held at the Beth [illegible] ... Sunday, April 23, 1876, at 2 [illegible]

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[illegible]DAY MORNING, APRIL 2[illegible], 1876

CITY

DEATH OF A CELESTIAL.—Some time [illegible] Tuesday night the Chinaman [illegible] poison with the purpose of destroying [illegible] the particulars of which [illegible] passed [illegible] the name of [illegible] and a Celestial [illegible] with the time honored [illegible] customs of these disciples of [illegible] the breath of life had entered [illegible] body was taken from the house [illegible] on the sidewalk where it [illegible] all night in full view of [illegible] Tuesday Coroner Wetmore was [illegible] summoning a jury [illegible] to hold an inquest. The following [illegible] rendered:

We the undersigned jurors [illegible] Coroner J. A. Wetmore to inquire into the [illegible] the death of a Chinaman, now lying [illegible] that his name was [illegible] came to his death on the evening of [illegible] day of April 1876, [illegible] on Jefferson street between [illegible] by taking some deadly poison the [illegible] which is unknown to the jury.

H. W. DAVIS [illegible]

[illegible] Barr, S. C. Ritchey, [illegible] Daniel Walton.

[illegible] OF PASSENGERS.—The steam[illegible] sailed last evening for [illegible] carried away the following passengers: [illegible] and wife, J. A. Langer, [illegible] W. L. Halsey, Sam Adair, [illegible] J. R. Tims, Mrs Thomas Smith and two [illegible] Miss Emma Tucker, Mrs J. Dillon, [illegible] Mrs E. Reed, [illegible] Miss Emma Holden, Mrs [illegible] and daughter, Judge L. [illegible], Mrs [illegible] Nichols, Mrs Luella Miles, John [illegible] D. H. Lafollett, P. A. Sherman, [illegible] O. N. Hall, Chas. F. [illegible] and two children, P. G. Hunston, [illegible] Mrs [illegible] Feegan and child, [illegible] J. E. Gatcher, [illegible] steerage [illegible] H. LeBlanc, J. F. Burch, wife, daughter and two children, John Hunster, [illegible] Thos Mills, John O'[illegible], S. Rockwell and wife, F. W. Rockwell [illegible].

[illegible] AT MT. ZION.—The enter[illegible] given by the Mt. Zion Literary Society [illegible] evening last having been [illegible] from time to time that the par[illegible] might be in complete readiness was [illegible] beyond all expectation. A num[illegible] the city were present, others would [illegible] but for the rain. The exercises [illegible] held in the district schoolhouse, which [illegible] fitted up with stage, curtain and scenery [illegible] decorated with evergreens and flowers [illegible] filled the position of [illegible] with becoming dignity. The pro[illegible] was quite lengthy and con[illegible] the usual variety, was done through [illegible] a single failure from little [illegible] to the professional. These literary [illegible] very popular in both city [illegible] the young and aroused great [illegible] they exist.

[illegible] intelligence reached this city last evening that Daniel Baughman, a brother of Capt. Baughman, the well-known [illegible] man, was drowned near [illegible] Bay. We have been unable [illegible] of the accident further [illegible] was in a skiff and [illegible] a creek a short distance [illegible] By some means the boat was [illegible] and he perished before assistance could reach him. [illegible] on the boats as a deck hand for many years.

[illegible] ACCEPTED.—The following [illegible] of acceptance have been received by the [illegible] day of the Centennial executive com[illegible] Albany Engine Company No. 1; [illegible] E. Ross, O. S. M., ex-Gov. Whiteaker, [illegible] M. Reed, Dalles Mountaineer; Ellison [illegible] T. O. of O. F.; Ed Casey, Dallas [illegible]; Dorris & Hembree, Courier; [illegible] Oregon [illegible] Monthly; G. W. [illegible], Dr. W. Keil, [illegible] N. Y. [illegible] State Rights Democrat.

[illegible]—A gentleman who [illegible] with Mexico suggests that [illegible] in Oregon and the ad[illegible] assemble at Portland and [illegible] part in the Centennial [illegible] The idea is a good one [illegible] for them to make the neces[illegible] short we hope the press [illegible] call the attention of the vet[illegible] of the suggestion.

[illegible] JUSTICE.—Joseph Howard [illegible] in the police court [illegible] few days ago wishes to have it [illegible] that he was not arrested for being [illegible] and disorderly, as reported. He was [illegible] on a charge of refusing to assist an [illegible] in bringing a drunk man to the jail. [illegible] Howard was fined $25 by the court but [illegible] the case and [illegible]

[illegible] PRESENT.—Capt. W. [illegible] formerly owner of the tug Ben Holladay [illegible] made the recipient of a handsome [illegible] present a short time since from his [illegible] Wm. S. Bearmon. The present was [illegible] gold watch—one of Seltzer's [illegible] valued at about $180. The present [illegible] appropriately inscribed and was [illegible] to the old gentleman as it was [illegible]

[illegible] REPORT.—From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, April 20, 1876.

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
[illegible]	45°	60°	50°
Wind direction	N W	Calm.	N L
Wind velocity	2	0	2
Weather	Cloudy	Cloudy	Clear
[illegible]			40°
[illegible]			.02

[illegible] COMPANY.—Says Figaro: "The Alf [illegible] Troupe (who are under engagement [illegible] Dan Waldron, of the Alleghanians) are [illegible] for Salt Lake City, commencing April [illegible] under Manager Harris. Burnett is said [illegible] the best laughed-at man in America [illegible] he is in good hands.—Dan Waldron will bring them here.

BRIEF NOTES.

[illegible] county convention to morrow [illegible] the benefit of the Home this [illegible].

The San Francisco steamer will leave for [illegible] to-morrow.

Miss Libbie Arnold, daughter of Rev. I. Ar[illegible] of Syracuse, N. Y., formerly of the Ore[illegible], is now in this city visit[illegible].

A new and commodious building has just [illegible] completed on the corner of Salmon and [illegible] streets by S. G. Bunting [illegible] to be [illegible] as a carriage and wagon [illegible].

[illegible] meeting of the board of directors of the [illegible] Central Railroad Co. yesterday Mr [illegible] resigned the position [illegible] of the company, and Mr Thomas L. [illegible] was elected in his stead.

The Father Mathew Society have greatly [illegible] their hall so that it now presents [illegible] attractive appearance. It is contem[illegible] to enlarge it so as to answer for lectur[illegible] during the winter season.

The collector of revenue for Oregon is wel[illegible] that there are persons who [illegible] engaged in manufacturing cigars [illegible] violating the revenue [illegible] sharp lookout for such persons [illegible] are caught they will be dealt [illegible]. It would be well for such [illegible] matter in mind.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

[illegible] following cases were disposed of [illegible] Dick Baker and [illegible] assault and battery discharged. John [illegible] Wm Dooley and [illegible] fined $5 each. W. [illegible] Burns [illegible] for fighting. Five Chinamen [illegible] of sawing wood on sidewalk [illegible] fined $5.

[illegible] annual meeting and election [illegible] First Hebrew Benevolent Association [illegible] held at the Beth Israel Synagogue [illegible] April 23, 1876, at 2 o'clock P. M.

[illegible] & Patterson of Salem [illegible] Lincoln Florum [illegible]

BOARD OF TRADE.

[illegible]

It is necessary [illegible] the electors [illegible] calling a special session of the legislature for the purpose [illegible] memorandum in the form of a bill which may doubtless require some verbal alteration before submission but it all the essential particulars it contains the sum and substance of the terms on which we would embark in the undertaking and have no doubt it [illegible] be adopted [illegible]

In determining the share of the burden to be borne by your State I have been mindful of the views of some of your members [illegible] of a very small portion of the [illegible] whole road [illegible] important [illegible] your State after the [illegible] completed and would [illegible] the [illegible] of Portland [illegible] possibly [illegible] the city begin to feel the benefits of the road.

[illegible] deemed important by my associates that the road should be excepted from taxation as proposed and this is reasonable on the ground that it is so much new property created within the State by money drawn from other quarters and will increase the value of all other business and property in the State.

In view of the [illegible] attempt in some Western States to attempt to prescribe the charges which railroad companies may make for the use of their own property and services it is well to have the matter understood in your State at the outset.

It is your opinion that such an extraordinary occasion as the constitution contemplates for convening a special session of the Assembly and that such session would be regarded as one of the two successive bodies required to amend it and these conditions have your approval they may be used as the basis upon which you can advocate the construction of the road and take steps to convene the legislature as soon as you please.

Very respectfully yours,

C. P. HUNTINGTON.

P. S.—Since the foregoing was written your telegram is received stating "interest on three millions is impossible to submit to people and suggesting two millions instead." This I suppose to be in reply to Mr Tilton's dispatch which I did not see. I send him a copy. My own impression is that three millions is the lowest sum we could name on the part of the State independent of Portland. My associates think five millions is not too much. I will submit your telegram to them and reply directly or through Mr. Tilton and in the meantime some changes in the proposed bill may be suggested by counsel.

C. P. H.

The president stated some objections to the bill as worded in section [illegible] that by its provisions the company would be entitled to receive the whole amount of the bond required of the State when the miles of the road were completed and before the State line was reached.

Mr. John Green offered resolutions which as amended read as follow:

Resolved, That the proposition read to the board at this [illegible] received from C. P. Huntington [illegible] draft of a legislative bill [illegible] terms [illegible] board;

Resolved, That [illegible] communications etc. [illegible] committee [illegible] Mr. H. and [illegible] modifications [illegible] acceptable to the people of the State and to recommend the proposition from the C. P. R. R. Co. or any other corporation [illegible] same to the board.

A discussion followed on the merit of the proposition in which Messrs. [illegible] Goldsmith and others took part all agreeing in the sentiment that while railroad connection with the Eastern States was a most desirable object and one for which the State could afford to pay any reasonable price or accede to any reasonable proposition, the one now made [illegible] recommend to the people of the State for their acceptance.

The resolutions were adopted and the board adjourned.

RELIGIOUS NOTES.

The following items of church [illegible] interest have been [illegible] from the Sentinel and [illegible]

The annual spiritual Retreat for the reverend clergy [illegible] will commence on next Monday [illegible] day May [illegible]

[illegible] Bishop [illegible] cathedral [illegible] preparing to make their first communion.

[illegible] Catholic [illegible] cathedral [illegible]

We learn [illegible] afternoon at the Baptist [illegible] for the purpose of [illegible]

IS THE POLICE FORCE SUFFICIENTLY LARGE

[illegible]

THE OREGON PLEASURES

[illegible]

NOTES FROM SALEM.

[illegible] CORRESPONDENT.

Our regular correspondent [illegible] the following:

[illegible]

Delegates to the Republican [illegible] convention are already arriving and a [illegible] time is anticipated.

Chief Justice Kelsay [illegible] recovering from a severe illness but is not sufficiently recovered to appear on the street.

George Bell and John Chase will [illegible] a silver medal [illegible] interest manifested in the [illegible].

The Centennial map having been completed has been [illegible] and will be [illegible] at the [illegible] creditable work [illegible] attract attention.

Rev. T. B. Knight and lady will be the recipient of a visit from members and friends of his congregation, the occasion being his crystal wedding and a jolly time is anticipated.

T. K. Brown, a medical student of Willamette University, died in the city [illegible] morning. He ate a hearty breakfast as usual and soon afterward while playing with [illegible] was taken with a severe pain in the head which grew more severe. Drs. [illegible] and Sharpe were called in but he was beyond medical aid and died shortly afterwards. Apoplexy is supposed to have been the cause. He leaves [illegible]

BODY FOUND.

A few days [illegible] found [illegible] the Columbia [illegible] three miles above [illegible] landing. An inquest was held and the following verdict rendered:

Territory of Washington, County of [illegible] the undersigned [illegible] the body of [illegible] found [illegible] three miles above [illegible] landing [illegible] find the following facts [illegible] death was caused from the following wound produced by [illegible] left [illegible] above the knee [illegible] hand [illegible] about [illegible] feet [illegible] boot [illegible] red flannel drawers [illegible] paper [illegible] W. J. Monroe, W. J. Taylor, J. Burham [illegible] Austin D. Reed.

The body is supposed to be that of the [illegible] scull which was blown up on the [illegible] time of the disaster [illegible]

[illegible] hundred [illegible] world [illegible] Fisher & Ubert.

[illegible]

In [illegible] Wightman [illegible] Co. [illegible]

Keep a full assortment [illegible] price [illegible]

TESTIMONIAL.

[illegible]

[illegible] OF [illegible] SALE.

[illegible]

CLOSING THE CENTENNIAL [illegible] DAY

[illegible]

AMUSEMENTS.

[illegible] Portlander [illegible] benefit will [illegible] the Home [illegible] New Market Theater [illegible] evening. It is needless to urge on generous [illegible] to patronize so worthy an object [illegible] entertainment [illegible] Mr. D. V. Prentiss [illegible] Bra [illegible] orchestra [illegible] impersonations [illegible] the hit of the season. "Simon [illegible] improved [illegible] Prof. Wand will [illegible] which in connection with an efficient orchestra [illegible] Prof. [illegible] will offer one of the most attractive programmes ever presented a Portland public.

M. Al Rosenblatt the well-known clothier [illegible] Front street has opened a [illegible]

[illegible]

A NEW DEPARTURE.

In the Medical treatment [illegible] the sufferer [illegible] Wightman [illegible] the Piles [illegible] Oregon City [illegible] publication [illegible] associates [illegible] those that use the process [illegible] Piles [illegible]

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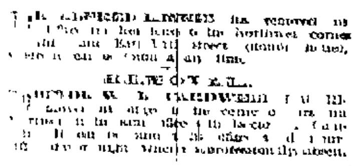

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FRIDAY MORNING APRIL 21 1876

THE NEW DEAL AND THE NEWER DEAL

Mr Applegate's proposition to have the candidates for the U S Senate nominated by their respective party conventions does not seem to get rid in the objectionable features of the present method to a satisfactory degree. The bargaining and corruption which has become so common at the elections by the legislature is easily practicable in a State Convention consisting of twice the number of persons. If Mr Applegate were a candidate for the U S Senate, before a delegate convention of one hundred members what is there to hinder his opponents from combining and getting an adjournment of a few hours to give them time to arrange matters and finally as he will believe cheat him out of the nomination. Is it improbable that such strategy will be attempted? Is it not in fact the way in which formidable candidates having a plurality of votes are generally disposed of? Seward was the undoubted choice of the Republicans of the Union for President in 1860 and although he had a plurality of votes in the committee from the beginning an adjournment and combination of the minor candidates cheated him out of the nomination the popular voice would have bestowed. Oregon delegates were instructed to vote for him, but by some sort of hocus pocus Horace Greeley was intrusted with the proxy which he energetically handled for the discomfiture of the man it was intended to promote. If such things can take place in a great national convention of 300 or 400 members, why not in a State convention of 140 members? Besides a State convention presents advantages and inducements for combinations and corruptions which a legislature does not.

Nominations for U S Senator would occur in 1876 1878 1882, 1884 1888 1890 etc. In 1876 there are three supreme judges three prosecuting attorneys, one member of Congress and three Presidential electors to be nominated besides sundry Federal offices to be attended to. Now in this day and after the experience of the last eight years in Oregon, how is it that with such elements combinations, understandings bargainings transmutations, and corruptions innumerable do not arise upon the fertile fancy of friend Applegate. And if that period does not people his brain with a diabolical brood let him pass over until the State convention of 1878 when a Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer, State Printer School Superintendent, member of Congress etc are to be nominated and try his rational fancy again.

Everybody ought to know that the nominations for these places are frequently very frequently, the results of improper combinations, reaching sometimes clear down to the primaries and involving for months and years ahead every available office in the State besides many other valuable considerations. When I say "reaching clear down to the primaries," I do not mean that the people generally are corrupt but that they are cheated or overborne by the mercenaries operating in their own selfish and pecuniary interest.

Combinations among candidates for mutual aid, have commonly been accepted as legitimate, for who should say that a man might not render service for service in a friendly way, even in politics?

And under this cloak of sticking to one's friends and harmonizing the administration of governmental affairs have resulted all of the political corruptions and crimes of the last 40 years.

The extent to which these friendly offices, i. e., bargaining combinations shall go is rather difficult to determine but that the habit exists alarmingly in legislative assemblies as well as in popular conventions by delegates, is undeniable.

The private history of the last senatorial election in Oregon, if *Lish* could give it would win his case; but I am of the opinion still that he would be like the traveler who was directed to proceed into the woods and take either fork of the road, and when he had traveled on it a mile he would wish he had taken the other.

Now, I have a *New Deal* that ought to commend itself to every sensible person in the world, and one, too, that will admit of no doubts as to its entire practicability. It is this: require every man who has any aspirations for senatorial honors to stay away from the legislature and allow the people's representatives to attend to their business without molestation. What right has any man *running* for the Senate, haunting the legislative halls, directly or indirectly, keeping headquarters near, influencing members promising offices, threatening those in office and thereby conscripting them, keeping a free lunch table and pandering to the weakness or selfishness of the people's servants. No right whatever. It is an offense against good sense, common decency, and the interests of the State, and no modest man after reading this will ever attempt it again. Think you that George Washington, Benjamin Franklin, or any of those grand old men of other days would be guilty of it? Not at all. Charles Sumner was never seen or heard about the State house interfering in any way with the deliberations of the people's representatives. Abraham Lincoln was too good wise and modest to besiege the legislative assembly for an office after the modern style.

The people are at fault in this and if they would resolve against the practice it would stop. No impudent self seeker would there after show his brazen front near the State house, but would wait until he was called.

The *Chronicle* of San Francisco a very able paper in many respects calls the men who live up to the spirit of a people's government "*sleepies*," thus showing that the popular idea is wrong, that a man *must run* of himself. He must be present and argue his claims and mass and manage his friends work strategy against strategy, and if so, will he is he likely to stop short of the plots, promises, bargains combinations and corruptions which have stained the name and fame of our Republican government? It is hardly possible that he will, and everybody knows, or believes, that no man is elected without money.

Let the members of the legislature held by public opinion, assert that no self seeker shall receive their votes, and the end is at hand.

The whole business of running for office as now practiced *is* and *forever will be, pernicious* forever furnishing just such results as have come to pass. The *results* and the *method* are as intimately connected as *thunder* and *lightning*. The people accept the *method* the *style*, and then grumble at the *results*. It is just as rational to expect grapes to grow on thorns or figs on thistles. If a man may come out and say he is *running* for an office and be allowed to gather up *his friends* wielding them as a *unit* in combination with others running for office, putting up primaries county conventions state conventions, national conventions, yea the government itself what right have we, the people, to grumble because of *personal parties personal rewards for personal services nepotism [illegible] or any other objectional ism, the necessary unfailing concomitants of the scheme?*

The proper way according to the *Newer Deal* is to *allow and assert the right of the people to select and call their candidates for every office great and small, then and not till then will corruption cease.*

It will be said by the unscrupulous politicians and all in their interest, that every man who is elected *runs* that is brings himself out after his own preferences and tastes one being candid and honest, while another being sly prevaricates and denies, etc etc.

This however is only a politician's dodge. there are plenty of men, yes a majority of them who are sensible and modest and will not depart from their sense of propriety and public duty and *run* for an office, but who would serve the public honestly and devotedly, if properly solicited by the people. I know of several good and capable men who have filled public positions and who never ran for an office, except within the meaning of the Newer Deal. History has many bright and shining examples of men *called* from unobtrusive private life to fill the most important public stations because of their moral worth and intellectual ability.

Washington was *called* to the head of the Continental army and to that of the chief magistracy of the nation [illegible]. He never *ran* for an office. Madison Jefferson Jackson Taylor Harrison were not office-seekers and Cincinnatus of ancient times was said to have been apprised of his selection to the chief magistracy of Rome while guiding his plow in the field. Friend Applegate discredits such examples, and I have heard him say in reference to the last that if the truth were only known the old fellow had been up all the night previous canvassing with the leading spirits of Rome that the whole thing was a [illegible] for effect.

There should be no wonder that our young American politicians don't credit such unselfishness or rather such a high and admirable sense of propriety as exhibited in other times and occasionally in our own when the other style of running for office is so constantly before his eyes.

However the Newer Deal cannot [illegible] into fashion [illegible] take warning.

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE

Financial

[illegible]

Legal tenders in Portland buying 88 selling 89.

Coin Exchange on San Francisco [illegible] percent

Coin Exchange on New York [illegible] per cent premium

Telegraphic transfers on New York [illegible] per cent premium

Currency Exchange on New York [illegible] per cent [illegible]

Currency Exchange on San Francisco [illegible] per cent premium

Gold Bars 90 par

The [illegible] financial [illegible] bill recommended for passage by the Senate and which [illegible] a law provides among other things [illegible] trade. In case this bill becomes a law the trade [illegible] banks which would of course result in the withdrawal of the coin from circulation and its recoinage. Except some objectionable features in the law allowing private parties to have traded dollars coined [illegible] which [illegible] states there [illegible] than they are at present.

The substitution of silver for fractional currency by the U S Treasury seems from the tenor of our dispatches [illegible] as was anticipated. On this coast it will have but little effect any direction.

There is noticed a marked [illegible] in the [illegible] shipments from this market [illegible] compared with former years indicating an increase in value in our exports and a gradual approach toward a state of trade in which the balance shall be [illegible] Portland [illegible] In connection with the great volume of our imports this spring is one of the encouraging features of the commerce of Oregon at this time.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

The following is our special cablegram of wheat quotations direct from Liverpool:

Liverpool April 20 1876

OREGONIAN Portland: To day's Liverpool wheat market closed with Oregon wheat ex warehouse quotable at 10s 6d per cental. The market is drooping.

HENRY HEMI & SONS

The foregoing corresponds with the regular press dispatches and shows no change in prices since last we reported. Unfortunately the quotations for Oregon cargoes afloat would [illegible]

Domestic Produce.

Interviews with prominent exporters of [illegible] our local market develop the fact that there is some difference of opinion in regard to the probable course of prices between this time and harvest, some thinking that wheat will probably take a spurt and that those who buy at present ruling rates will do well without doubt while others consider it a great risk to purchase now for shipment to foreign markets, and they can see no reason why any advance should occur. The markets both home and foreign appear now to be in a state of the utmost quiescence and no war, or rumors of war seem to make any impression on them. Holders along the Willamette river are asking at the rate of $1 70 per cental delivered here and will not take less but transactions are rare except in cases of purchase by the millers for grinding purposes. There is but one vessel now loading and another preparing to load. The two ships Tallar Oil and Wave Queen are probably on the market for charter though there is a report that the latter is already fixed.

Oats, which had ruled high up to the middle of the week took a downward turn on Wednesday, and the market has since been somewhat depressed. The receipts during the prevalence of the advance were liberal and the outgoing steamer to-day takes about 7 000 bushels to San Francisco where the market appears to be fairly sustained. The condition of the wheat and flour market is slightly relieved in the case of millers by the full figures which mill feed commands. Hay is in moderate supply and sells readily at quotations. The receipts of apples potatoes and onions have materially declined and the old crops are very nearly exhausted. As will be seen by quotations apples especially are unusually high if of good varieties. Dried fruit is still in good demand for shipment and receipts are important. Provisions and dairy products are firm poultry and eggs weaker. Wool and hides are dull sale and prices for them nominal with a downward tendency.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON April 19—No improvement in the wool trade which continues very dull and unsatisfactory. Manufacturers have concluded that prices must rule low this season. Goods are unsaleable and trade for the past two months has been unsatisfactory that there is no encouragement for them to stock up even at the present low figures. X and XX Ohio and Pennsylvania fleece and most desirable XX is in light stock and held firmer at the latter rate. Wisconsin and Michigan fleeces 36@40 the latter being the ruling price for choice lots. California 16@24 for fall and 18@30 for spring. Pulled wool plenty and dull with super and X at [illegible] as to quality the principal sales of super having been in range of [illegible]

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—For fair average lots $1 [illegible] per cental sacked

FLOUR—Quotable best brands $[illegible] bbl good outside and country brands $4 7[illegible] fine and superfine $[illegible]

OATS—Surprise 75c per bushel common 70@72 black 70c

BARLEY Choice brewing $1 50@1 40 feed $1 2[illegible]@1 [illegible] cwt

MILL FEED—Bran $20@22 ₩ ton shorts $27 50@$30 chopped middlings etc $[illegible] oil cake meal $37 50@$40

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter solid [illegible] ₩ lb brine [illegible] roll [illegible] fancy dairy [illegible] cheese quotable at [illegible] ₩ lb

EGGS—Quotable at [illegible] ₩ dozen

CHICKENS—Full grown $4 00 ₩ doz

POTATOES—common 80@90c choice $1 00 ₩ bushel

ONIONS—As to quality $2 00@2 50 ₩ 100 lbs

HAY—Choice timothy baled $16@$18 loose $1[illegible] wild $10

DRIED APPLES—In sacks 9c in kegs [illegible] ₩ lb

RIPE FRUITS—Apples packed for shipping Winesaps $[illegible] Yellow Newtowns and [illegible] $1 00@1 [illegible] other varieties $[illegible] box [illegible] $1 50@$[illegible]

LARD—Oregon made fresh in tins 16@17c ₩ lb in kegs 16@[illegible]

DRIED PLUMS—With pits [illegible] pitless [illegible]

BACON—Hams choice 16@17c common to good 14@15c ₩ lb sides 1[illegible] shoulders 8c ₩ lb

FRESH MEATS—Beef dressed [illegible] ₩ lb on foot, 1[illegible]c dressed hogs [illegible] ₩ lb mutton sheep $[illegible] ₩ head

HIDES AND FURS—We quote best selected hides at [illegible] ₩ lb culls [illegible] salt [illegible] 15c ₩ lb [illegible] for dried and [illegible] each green [illegible] skins $1 00 each otter $[illegible] each beaver $1@$1

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO April 20—Flour Extra jobbing $[illegible] according to brand and terms of payment.

Wheat—Market quiet at $1 [illegible]

Barley Feed $1 [illegible] brewing $1 [illegible]

Oats [illegible]

Potatoes—Difficult to get over $[illegible] for lots of fair quality $1 00

Hay $11@19

Feed Bran is in [illegible] from [illegible]

Shipping Intelligence

The steamship [illegible] sailed for San Francisco [illegible] evening at [illegible] o'clock with a fair freight list.

The barkentine Tam O Shanter with a large cargo of assorted merchandise from San Francisco arrived this morning and will discharge at Pacific wharf.

The bark Chilton for Liverpool with wheat went to sea on Tuesday.

There are now four coasting vessels in port—the barkentine Tam O Shanter bark Dawn brig Hazard [illegible]

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO April 20—Arrived [illegible] Agnes [illegible] [illegible] Webfoot [illegible] Martha [illegible] Fort Blakely [illegible] Clara Light Alaska Louisa May [illegible] ship [illegible] Bellingham Bay

EXPORTS

For [illegible] steamship Ajax [illegible] for San Francisco April [illegible] 1360 sks flour [illegible] sks oats 60 boxes apples [illegible] potatoes [illegible] 20 hf bbls 40 sks [illegible] dried apples [illegible] dried pears 10 [illegible] dried plums [illegible] butter [illegible] hams [illegible] oatmeal [illegible] bacon [illegible] calf skins [illegible] hides 1 pkg furs 1 bale elk hides [illegible] deer [illegible] sheep [illegible] pkgs [illegible] tallow [illegible] staves [illegible] headings and 21 pkgs miscellaneous merchandise

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DISSOLUTION

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between Levi Estes and Charles M. Carter under the firm name of Estes & Carter is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

April [illegible] 1876

C. M. CARTER

LEVI ESTES

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To Take Effect Sunday, Aug. 2d, 1874, at 4 A. M.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY)

As follows

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Portland	7 30 A M	Roseburg	7 30 P
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DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)

As follows

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
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Albany	5 30 A M	Portland	10 05 A M

FREIGHT TRAINS

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	6 15 A M	Junction	5 00 P M
Junction	[illegible] A M	Portland	5 15 P M

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KALAMA TO TACOMA.

DAILY (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED)

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Kalama	11 20 A M	Tacoma	5 00 P M
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CONNECTIONS

At Kalama with O S N Co's Boats for all points on Columbia River.

At Tenino with stages for Olympia.

At Tacoma with Steamers for Seattle Olympia and all other points on Puget Sound.

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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Morrison Street

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of Morrison street lying between the west line of Second street and the east line of Fifth street by laying plank gutters twelve inches in width on each side of the street along the curb line of the sidewalks.

W S CALDWELL Auditor and Clerk

April 10 1876 ap10d10t

A Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of A street lying between N First street and the west line of N West Park street, by grading laying sidewalks six feet in width and crosswalks where necessary. Also to plank the roadway of said street full width between N Front and N Second streets.

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Portland April 8 1876

[illegible]

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April 10 1876

JESSIE K MILLARD Executrix

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THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO'S Steamship

JOHN L. STEPHENS,

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THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1876,

At [illegible] o'clock P M

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FOR SEATTLE—Tuesday Wednesday Friday and Saturday at 6 A M

FOR ASTORIA—Daily (except Sunday) at 6 A M

For Cathlamet, Bay View and Skomokaway—Monday Wednesday and Friday, at 6 A M.

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[illegible]

W H WATKINDS Supt

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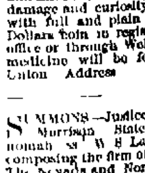

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R. E. BYBEE, Justice of the Peace.

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